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In re Application of: Erik G. Burrows  
Title: Method and System for Assigning an IP Address to a Host Based on Features of the Host  
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- ☐ 1. Verified statement establishing "small entity" status under 37 CFR § 1.9 and 1.27
- ☒ 2. Specification (11 pages, 28 claims, and 1 page(s) abstract)
- ☒ 3. 4 sheet(s) of drawing(s) (☒ formal ☐ informal) comprising Figures 1 through 4
- ☒ 4A. Declaration (☒ executed ☐ unexecuted)
- ☐ 4B. No Oath or Declaration is enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d)
- ☒ 5. Assignment to Gateway, Inc. and Recordation Form Cover Sheet
- ☒ 6. Power of Attorney
- ☐ 7. Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, and copies of IDS citations
- ☐ 8. This is a: ☐ Continuation; ☐ Divisional; ☐ Continuation-In-Part of of prior Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_, Examiner \_\_\_\_\_, Group Art Unit \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ 9. Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120, Application No. 09/919,556 filed 07/31/01
- ☐ 10. Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ 11. Nonpublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)
- ☒ 12. Return Receipt Postcard

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- ☒ Drawings (4 sheets of formal drawings)
- ☒ Executed Declaration (3 pages)
- ☒ Executed Assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet
- ☒ Executed Power of Attorney
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